

PROCESS OF ACQUISITION OF U.S. CITIZENSHIP FOR PEOPLE OVER 18 YEARS OF AGE BORN OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:

- Legalized birth certificate In Extensa of the applicant.
- Current Dominican id (Cedula) of the applicant
- Copy of baptismal certificate
- Certificate from the electoral central office (junta central electoral) indicating the date in that you obtained your Dominican id (cedula) for the first time.
- Evidence of U.S. citizenship of your father/mother through whom you are requesting your citizenship. This evidence can be the American passport, birth certificate or the citizenship/naturalization certificate of the father/mother.
- Marriage certificate of parents.
- Divorce or death certificate of parents if they have had a previous marriage.
- Certificate from the office of Dominican immigration authorities indicating the date of arrival to the Dominican republic of the American citizen father/mother.
- Death certificate of the American citizen father/mother (if he/she already has passed away).
- Any other original document from the United States, Puerto Rico or the Dominican Republic
 establishing the identity of the applicant and its relationship with his/her American citizen
 father/mother.
- <u>Note:</u> depending on the circumstances of your case, it is possible that you may be asked to present evidences of physical presence in the United States from your U.S. citizen father/mother.

When you have these documents, you should request an online appointment under the category of Consular Report of Birth Abroad. Our website is http://santodomingo.usembassy.gov.

<u>Fees:</u> fees can be paid in dollars or Dominican pesos at the prescribed exchange rate of that day for consular transactions.

Passport application fee: US\$ 75.00 Execution fee: US\$ 25.00

Delivery service: US\$ 12.00 (in Santo Domingo)

US\$ 16.00 (out of Santo Domingo)